

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

We hereby declare that our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated hereinbelow and that we believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and described in the attached specification and for which a patent is sought in this application therefor entitled:

Display Shelf For Elongated Products

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification and claims and acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56(a).

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As a below named inventor I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, with regard to the invention described in the specification filed herewith and identified above.

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